Fall Registration

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Starting Sunday, October 27th our fall seven-week 'Leam-To-Curl' program for adults will again be held. This 2-hour weekly program is scheduled for a 2:00-4:00 pm time slot on Sunday afternoons.

Our instruction team leader is a Level Two instructor ... who takes participants through structured lessons on all aspects of the sport. included are both group and individualized training.

In addition to learning each of the sport's most critical components -- delivery balance, line of delivery and rock release -- participants get lots of time to practice techniques. They'll also do skills' drills and get into mini-games as part of the program.

The cost is \$125.00 per person [... this fee includes HST]. A maximum of 32 spaces are available.

Sign up for this program via the internet, following the links at www.actoncurlingclub.com
For more information, send an email to... Acton Curling Club

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Ways to sign up for leagues at the Acton Curling Club:

- 1. Send an email at any time to-
- membership@actoncurlingclub.com 2. Call the ACC's "New Member Hotline" -
- 905-853-0110 leave a message. 3. Visit the curling club's website - and go to the new members online registration form
- 4. Come to the curling club in person on Saturday Sept. 21st 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Special Olympics Curling 2nd year as a program for intellectually disabled athletes starts in October.

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Staples's school supply drive underway

For most children a return to the classroom after a summer filled with fun activities, camps and special times with family and friends is not an easy one. But for the increasing number of students that also start the year without the basic school supplies required for success, back to school is especially discouraging.

According to a survey of Canadian teachers and educators, 35 per cent of school-aged children in Canada will begin the school year without the necessary supplies. Making matters worse, almost one fifth of teachers surveyed believe this percentage will also increase over last year.

The survey of teachers and educators conducted by Vision Critical for Staples Canada indicated the leading factors contributing to the shortage of essential supplies include: financial strains (67 per cent), cost of supplies (59 per cent), and reliance on schools for supplies (55 per cent). In addition, 28 per cent of teachers believe the problem is due in large to poor communication or lack of understanding, leading to parents being uncertain about what supplies to purchase.

Determined to help ensure students have what they need, Staples is launching its eighth annual school supply drive with a goal to raise more than \$1.5 million in supplies for local charities and schools across the country. All supplies and proceeds raised stay within local communities and are directed to students in need. The supply drive has collected more than \$6.3 million dollars in supplies and donations since 2005.

We all want students to do their best at school and later in life, and having basic supplies plays a surprisingly important role in having the confidence to do that," said Steve Matyas, president of Staples Canada. "Not having a pen or notebook may seem small, but in reality it often represents a major setback for young students, especially at the start of the school year."

To make it easier for consumers, the retailer has equipped stores with resources such as lists of basic supplies needed for each grade. Associates are also trained for the back-to-school season to help customers find the items they require for a successful school year.

The supply drive takes place in all provinces and two territories until September 9. A complete list of store locations and their partners is available online. More information on the supply drive is available at www.staples.ca/community.

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Thurs. Aug. 29, 9:00am - 8:30pm Fri. Aug. 30, 9:00am - 4:00pm

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